THIS WEEK'S CONTESTS
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This e-mail is divided into three sections:
- Details of this week's contests
- List of following week's contests
- Contest log submittal addresses and deadlines for recent contests

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THIS WEEK'S CONTESTS:
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144 MHz Spring Sprint: 1900 local - 2300 local, Apr 7
  Mode: (not specified)
  Bands: 2m Only
  Classes: Single Op
           Rover
           Rookie
  Exchange: 4-character grid square (6-character grid square optional)
  QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
  Multipliers: Each 4-character grid square
  Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
  Submit logs by: April 23, 2008
  E-mail logs to: springvhfsprints[at]sysadnet[dot]com
  Mail logs to: 144 MHz Spring Sprint
                Steve Gilmore, W4SHG
                11 Ryan Way
                Stafford, VA 22554
                USA
  Find rules at: http://www.sysadnet.com/vhfsprintrules.htm

NAQCC Straight Key/Bug Sprint: 0030Z-0230Z, Apr 9
  Mode: CW
  Bands: 80, 40, 20m
  Classes: (none)
  Max power: 5 watts
  Exchange: RST + (state/province/country) + (NAQCC No./power)
  Work stations: Once per band
  QSO Points: 1 point per QSO with non-member
              2 points per QSO with member

Multipliers: Each state, province, or country once
Key Type Mult: 2x if straight key, 1.5x if bug, 1x if other
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults x key type mult
Submit logs by: April 15, 2008
E-mail logs to: naqcc33[at]alltel[dot]net
Post log summary at: http://www.arm-tek.net/~yoel/sprint_submit_log.html
Mail logs to: Tom Mitchell, KB3LFC
RD6 Box 122A
Kittanning, PA 16201
USA
Find rules at: http://www.arm-tek.net/~yoel/sprint200804.html

NCCC Sprint Ladder: 0230Z-0300Z, Apr 11
Mode: CW
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20m
Classes: Single Op
Max power: 100 watts
Exchange: [other station's call] + [your call] + [serial no.] + [name] + [your state/province/country]
Work stations: Dupes allowed after at least one intervening QSO
QSO Points: NA station: 1 point per QSO
non-NA station: 1 point per QSO with an NA station
Multipliers: Each US state (including KL7 and KH6) once per band
Each VE province once per band
Each North American country (except W/VE) once per band
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: April 13, 2008
E-mail logs to: (none)
Post log summary at: http://www.hornucopia.com/3830score/
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at: http://www.ncccsprint.com/rules.htm

YLRL DX-YL to NA-YL Contest, SSB: 1400Z, Apr 11 to 0200Z, Apr 13
Mode: SSB
Bands: All
Classes: (none)
Max operating hours: 24
Exchange: QSO No. + RS + (section/province/country)
Work stations: Once per band
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
Multipliers: Each section, province, country once
Power factor: x1.5 for 150W or less
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults x power factor
Submit logs by: May 13, 2008
E-mail logs to: annettewood[at]oh[dot]rr[dot]com
Mail logs to: Annette Wood, KC8SQM
6167 Oakwood Circle
North Ridgeville, OH 44039
USA
Find rules at: http://www.ylrl.org/ylcontests.html

JIDX CW Contest: 0700Z, Apr 12 to 1300Z, Apr 13
Mode: CW
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m

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  Classes: Single Op All Band (Low/High)
           Single Op Single Band (Low/High)
           Multi-Single
           Maritime Mobile
  Max power: HP: >100W
             LP: 100W
  Exchange: JA: RST + Prefecture No.
            non-JA: RST + CQ Zone No.
  Work stations: Once per band
  QSO Points: 4 points per JA-DX QSO on 160m
              2 points per JA-DX QSO on 80m
              1 points per JA-DX QSO on 40, 20, 15m
              2 points per JA-DX QSO on 10m
  Multipliers: JA Stations: DXCC countries and CQ zones once per band
               non-JA Stations: JA prefectures plus JD1/O, JD1/MT, JD1/OT once per
band
  Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
  Submit logs by: May 31, 2008
  E-mail logs to: cw[at]jidx[dot]org
  Mail logs to: JIDX CW Contest
                c/o Five-Nine Magazine
                P.O. Box 59, Kamata
                Tokyo 144-8691
                Japan
  Find rules at: http://www.jidx.org/jidxrule-e.html

Radio Maritime Day: 1200Z, Apr 12 to 1200Z, Apr 13
  Mode: CW
  Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
  Classes: Coastal Station
           Single Op Former Radio Officers
           Single Op Radio Amateur
           Multi-Op Former Radio Officers
           Multi-Op Radio Amateurs
  Max power: 100 watts, except Coastal Stations
  Exchange: Radio Officers: QSA + call of last ship/aircraft
            Radio Amateurs: QSA + Serial No.
  QSO Points: 5 points per QSO with Coastal Station
              3 points per QSO ship to ship
              2 points per QSO ship to amateur or amateur to ship
              1 point per QSO between Radio Amateurs
  Multipliers: Each maritime nation once
  Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
  Submit logs by: May 1, 2008
  E-mail logs to: F6DGU[at]cyberelec[dot]fr
  Mail logs to: (none)
  Find rules at: http://www.radiomaritimeday.org/

PODXS 070 Club PSK 31 Flavors Contest: 1200-1800 local, Apr 12
  Mode: BPSK31, QPSK31, BPSK63, QPSK63, BPSK125
  Bands: 20m Only
  Classes: QRP
           Low
           Medium
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  Max power: Medium: 100 watts
             Low: 20 watts
             QRP: 5 watts
  Exchange: 070 members: (state/province/country) + member no.
            Non-members: (state/province/country) + name
  Work stations: Once per band
  QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
  Multipliers: Each state, province and DXCC country once per mode
  Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
  Submit logs by: May 12, 2008
  E-mail logs to: pskflavors[at]excite[dot]com
  Mail logs to: (none)
  Find rules at: http://harvey.licht.home.sprynet.com/PSKFlavors/
2008/2008RulesPost.htm

EU Spring Sprint, CW: 1600Z-1959Z, Apr 12
  Mode: CW
  Bands: 80, 40, 20m
  Classes: Single Op (Low/High)
  Max power: HP: >100W
             LP: 100W
  Exchange: [your call sign] + [other station's call sign] + Serial No. + Name
  Work stations: Once per band
  QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
  Multipliers: (none)
  Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points
  Submit logs by: April 27, 2008
  E-mail logs to: eusprint[at]kkn[dot]net
  Mail logs to: Dave Lawley, G4BUO
                Carramore, Coldharbour Road
                Penshurst, Kent TN11 8EX
                England
  Find rules at: http://www.eusprint.com/index.php?page=140&lang=g

Georgia QSO Party: 1800Z, Apr 12 to 0359Z, Apr 13 and 1400Z-2359Z, Apr 13
  Mode: CW, Phone
  Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10, 6m
  Classes: Single Op (CW/Phone/Mixed)(QRP/Low/High)
           Multi-Single (CW/Phone/Mixed)(QRP/Low/High)
           Multi-Multi (CW/Phone/Mixed)(QRP/Low/High)
           Rover (CW/Phone/Mixed)(QRP/Low/High)
  Max power: HP: >150W
             LP: 150W
             QRP: 5W
  Exchange: GA: RST + county
            non-GA: RST + (state/province/"DX")
  Work stations: Once per mode per band
  QSO Points: 1 point per phone QSO
              2 points per CW QSO
  Multipliers: GA Stations: Each state and VE region once per mode
               non-GA Stations: each GA county once per mode
  Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
  Submit logs by: May 9, 2008
  E-mail logs to: gqp[at]iham[dot]us
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  Mail logs to: John Laney, K4BAI
                PO Box 421
                Columbus, GA 31902-0421
                USA
  Find rules at: http://gqp.contesting.com/Rules.htm

Yuri Gagarin International DX Contest: 2100Z, Apr 12 to 2100Z, Apr 13
  Mode: CW
  Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10, Satellites
  Classes: Single Op Multi-Band
           Single Op Single Band
           Multi-Single
           SWL
  Exchange: RST + ITU Zone No.
  Work stations: Once per band
  QSO Points: 1 point per QSO with same country
              2 points per QSO with different country on same continent
              3 points per QSO with different continent
  Multipliers: ITU zones once per band
  Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
  Submit logs by: May 13, 2008
  E-mail logs to: gc[at]qst[dot]ru
  Mail logs to: GC Contest Committee
                P.O.Box 2020
                Moscow, 101000
                Russia
  Find rules at: http://gc.qst.ru/en/section/32

SKCC Weekend Sprintathon: 0000Z-2400Z, Apr 13
  Mode: CW
  Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
  Classes: (none)
  Exchange: Name + (state/province/country) + (SKCC No./power)
  Work stations: Once per band
  QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
              Bonus Points: 5 points per Centurion member QSO per band
              Bonus Points: 10 points per Tribune member QSO per band
              Bonus Points: 25 points per QSO with SKCC club call per band
  Multipliers: Each state, province, or country once
  Score Calculation: Total score = (total QSO points x total mults) + bonus points
  Submit logs by: April 20, 2008
  Post log summary at: http://www.skccgroup.com/sprint/wes/sf.html
  Mail logs to: (none)
  Find rules at: http://www.skccgroup.com/sprint/wes/wknd-sprint-rules.html

UBA Spring Contest, SSB: 0600Z-1000Z, Apr 13
  Mode: SSB
  Bands: 80m Only
  Classes: Single
           SWL
  Max power: non-QRP: >5 watts
             QRP: 5 watts
  Exchange: ON: RS + Serial No. + UBA Section
            non-ON: RS + Serial No.
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QSO Points: 3 points per QSO with Belgian station
Multipliers: Each UBA Section
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: May 4, 2008
E-mail logs to: ubaspring[at]uba[dot]be
Mail logs to: Michel Gertis, ON4CAQ
Mommestraat 69
B-3550 Heusden Zolder
Belgium
Find rules at: http://www.uba.be/hf_contests/rules/uba_spring_en.pdf

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NEXT WEEK'S CONTESTS:

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222 MHz Spring Sprint	1900 local - 2300 local, Apr 15
RSGB 80m Club Championship, SSB	1900Z-2030Z, Apr 16
NCCC Sprint Ladder	0230Z-0300Z, Apr 18
Holyland DX Contest	0000Z-2359Z, Apr 19
TARA Skirmish Digital Prefix Contest	0000Z-2400Z, Apr 19
ES Open HF Championship	0500Z-0559Z, Apr 19
	0600Z-0659Z, Apr 19
	0700Z-0759Z, Apr 19
	0800Z-0859Z, Apr 19
Feld Hell Sprint	1500Z-1700Z, Apr 19
EU Spring Sprint, SSB	1600Z-1959Z, Apr 19
Michigan QSO Party	1600Z, Apr 19 to 0400Z, Apr 20
EA-QRP CW Contest	1700Z-2000Z, Apr 19 (20-10m)
	2000Z-2300Z, Apr 19 (80m)
	0700Z-1100Z, Apr 20 (40m)
	1100Z-1300Z, Apr 20 (20-10m)
Ontario QSO Party	1800Z, Apr 19 to 0500Z, Apr 20
	1200Z-1800Z, Apr 20
YU DX Contest	2100Z, Apr 19 to 0500Z, Apr 20
	0900Z-1700Z, Apr 20
Run for the Bacon QRP Contest	0100Z-0300Z, Apr 21

CONTEST LOG SUBMITTAL DEADLINES FOR RECENT CONTESTS

Please consult the individual contest rules to determine what log
documentation must be submitted (i.e. summary sheet, dupe sheets, etc.).

Idaho QSO Party: April 8, 2008
E-mail: NT4TT[at]MSN[dot]COM
Mail: (none)
Find rules at: http://www.nt4tt.com/main_page_link/rules.htm

BCC QSO Party: April 8, 2008
E-mail: qsoparty[at]bavarian-contest-club[dot]de
Mail: (none)
Find rules at: http://www.bavarian-contest-club.de/contest/qso-

partys2008/253,709.html

ARCI HF Grid Square Sprint: April 8, 2008
  E-mail: contest[at]qrparci[dot]org
  Mail: ARCI Spring QSO Party
         c/o Jeff Hetherington, VA3JFF
         139 Elizabeth St. W.
         Welland, Ontario L3C 4M3
         Canada
  Find rules at: http://www.qrparci.org/component/option,com_extcalendar/Itemid,/extmode,view/extid,56/lang,en/

Wisconsin QSO Party: April 9, 2008
  E-mail: k9kr[at]tds[dot]net
  Mail: Wisconsin QSO Party
         West Allis Radio Amateur Club
         P. O. Box 1072
         Milwaukee, WI 53201
         USA
  Find rules at: http://www.warac.org/wqp/2008/wiqp_rules.htm

RSGB Commonwealth Contest: April 9, 2008
  E-mail: commonwealth[dot]contest[at]rsgbhfcc[dot]org
  Mail: RSGB-G3UFY
         77 Bensham Manor Road
         Thornton Heath, Surrey CR7 7AF
         England
  Find rules at: http://www.contesting.co.uk/hfcc/rules/2008/rberu.shtml

NSARA Contest: April 9, 2008
  E-mail: ve1pjs[at]rac[dot]ca
  Mail: Peter J. Surette, VE1JPS
         55 Edgewood Drive
         Turo, Nova Scotia B2N 1P1
         Canada
  Find rules at: http://nsara.ve1cfy.net/nsaracst.htm

NAQCC Straight Key/Bug Sprint: April 15, 2008
  E-mail: naqcc33[at]alltel[dot]net
  Post web summary: http://www.arm-tek.net/~yoel/sprint_submit_log.html
  Mail: Tom Mitchell, KB3LFC
         RD6 Box 122A
         Kittanning, PA 16201
         USA
  Find rules at: http://www.arm-tek.net/~yoel/sprint200804.html

9K 15-Meter Contest: April 15, 2008
  E-mail: 9k2rr[at]9kcc[dot]com
  Mail: Faisal N. Al-Ajmi, 9K2RR
         P.O.Box 1124
         Alfarwanya 80000
         Kuwait
  Find rules at: http://www.9k2hn.com/9kcc/9KCCRule.htm

CLARA and Family HF Contest: April 15, 2008
  E-mail: ve7ony[at]rac[dot]ca
  Mail: Leona, VE7ONY
         PO Box 266
         2475 Dobbin Road #22
         Westbank, BC V4T2E9
         Canada
  Find rules at: http://www.clara.comm.sfu.ca/contest.html

Virginia QSO Party: April 15, 2008
  E-mail: nq4k[at]arrl[dot]net
  Mail: VA QSO Party
         Call Box 599
         Sterling, VA 20167
         USA
  Find rules at: http://www.qsl.net/sterling/VA_QSO_Party/2008_VQP_Rules.html

UBA Spring Contest, 2m: April 15, 2008
  E-mail: ubaspring[at]uba[dot]be
  Mail: Michel Gertis, ON4CAQ
         Mommestraat 69
         B-3550 Heusden Zolder
         Belgium
  Find rules at: http://www.uba.be/hf_contests/rules/uba_spring_en.pdf

RSGB RoPoCo 1: April 22, 2008
  E-mail: ropoco1[dot]logs[at]rsgbhfcc[dot]org
  Mail: RSGB G3UFY
         77 Bensham Manor Road, Thornton Heath
         Surrey CR7 7AF
         England
  Find rules at: http://www.vhfcc.org/hfcc/rules/2008/rropoco.shtml

144 MHz Spring Sprint: April 23, 2008
  E-mail: springvhfsprints[at]sysadnet[dot]com
  Mail: 144 MHz Spring Sprint
         Steve Gilmore, W4SHG
         11 Ryan Way
         Stafford, VA 22554
         USA
  Find rules at: http://www.sysadnet.com/vhfsprintrules.htm

Low Power Spring Sprint: April 23, 2008
  E-mail: om3kfv[at]zoznam[dot]sk
  Mail: Radioklub OM3KFV
         P.O.Box 3
         038 61 Vrutky
         Slovakia
  Find rules at: http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/lowpowerspringsprint2008.pdf

EA RTTY Contest: April 25, 2008
  E-mail: rttycontest[at]ure[dot]es
  Mail: (none)
  Find rules at: http://www.ure.es/hf/concursos/eartty/basesearttyingles.pdf

ARLHS Annual Spring Lites QSO Party: April 30, 2008
  E-mail: (none)
  Mail: Dave Ruch, NF0J
         P.O. Box 20696
         Bloomington, MN 55420-0696
         USA
  Find rules at: http://arlhs.com/SL-2008-guidelines.html

Oklahoma QSO Party: April 30, 2008
  E-mail: logs[at]okdxa[dot]org
  Mail: Oklahoma QSO Party
         OK DX Association
         P.O. Box 2591
         Claremore, OK 74018-2591
         USA
  Find rules at: http://okdxa.org/web/html/rules08.htm

SP DX Contest: April 30, 2008
  E-mail: spdxc-logs[at]pzk[dot]org[dot]pl
  Mail: Polski Zwiazek Krotkofalowcow
         SPDX Contest Committee
         P. O. Box 320
         00-950 WARSZAWA
         POLAND
  Find rules at: http://www.spdxcontest.info/reg/reg_g.html

QCWA Spring QSO Party: May 1, 2008
  E-mail: w2od[at]aol[dot]com
  Mail: W2OD, Robert Buus
         8 Donner Street
         HOLMDEL N.J. 07733-2004
         USA
  Find rules at: http://www.qcwa.org/2008-qso-party-rules.htm

BARTG HF RTTY Contest: May 1, 2008
  E-mail: ska[at]bartg[dot]demon[dot]co[dot]uk
  Mail: (none)
  Find rules at: http://www.bartg.org.uk/contests/08hfrules.htm

CQ WW WPX Contest, SSB: May 1, 2008
  E-mail: ssb[at]cqwpx[dot]com
  Mail: SSB WPX Contest
         CQ Magazine
         25 Newbridge Rd, Suite 405
         Hicksville NY 11801
         USA
  Find rules at: http://www.cqwpx.com/rules.htm

YLRL DX-YL to NA-YL Contest, CW: May 6, 2008
  E-mail: annettewood[at]oh[dot]rr[dot]com
  Mail: Annette Wood, KC8SQM
         6167 Oakwood Circle
         North Ridgeville, OH 44039

USA
Find rules at: http://www.ylrl.org/ylcontests.html

Missouri QSO Party: May 6, 2008
E-mail: moqsoparty[at]w0ma[dot]org
Mail: K2DP, S. David Propper
7488 Cornell Ave.
University City, MO 63130
USA
Find rules at: http://www.w0ma.org/mo_qso_party.htm

ARCI Spring QSO Party: May 6, 2008
E-mail: va3jff[at]yahoo[dot]ca
Mail: ARCI Spring QSO Party
c/o Jeff Hetherington, VA3JFF
139 Elizabeth St. W.
Welland, Ontario L3C 4M3
Canada
Find rules at: http://www.qrparci.org/component/option,com_extcalendar/Itemid,/extmode,view/extid,57/lang,en/

Russian DX Contest: May 7, 2008
E-mail: rdxc[at]srr[dot]ru
Mail: Russian DX Contest
P.O. Box 88
119311 Moscow
Russia
Find rules at: http://www.rdxc.org/asp/pages/rulesg.asp

Montana QSO Party: May 31, 2008
E-mail: normsclassicradio[at]yahoo[dot]com
Mail: Norm Palin K7NCR
68 Silver Leaf Drive
Kalispell, MT 59901
USA
Find rules at: http://www.fvarc.org/Events/events.htm

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